

DIVISION NO. 64  
FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT

Premiums Contributed by Mississippi Valley Fair.....\$392.00  
Ribbons awarded .....1st & 2nd Places  
Honorable mention if so determined by jury.  
Ribbon Participation ribbons for C and D participants  
Superintendent.....Joni Kuehl-Schneider, Long Grove, IA  
Judge .....To Be Announced

RULES

1. There is a \$1.00 entry fee for each entered exhibit. One entry per class. Please send a self-addressed stamped business size envelope in order to receive your entry tags. Each entry tag must include Division (64), Category code (A B, C, D) and Class # (1-7).
2. Registration of entries closes July 15.
3. Exhibits must be delivered to the Starlite ballroom between 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM on Sunday, July 29.
4. All exhibits entered must have been executed within the past two years and not been exhibited at the MVF before.
5. All work must be an original work of the exhibitor and cannot be copies of published photographs or art work previously done by someone else.
6. Oil and acrylic paintings may be framed but this is optional and is not recommended due to lack of space to hang the exhibits. If the exhibit is framed, it must have hook eyes and a wire attached to the frame to make it easier to hang. Any framed art work not equipped with the mandatory hanging requirements may be returned to the exhibitor and will not be eligible for a prize.
7. Pastels, water color, black and white, and other mediums executed on paper must be matted and mounted on stiff cardboard. These must have sturdy hangers which will not fall off when hung for a week. (Scotch Tape and Duct Tape does not hold.)
8. Because of space limitations for hanging the exhibit, no entry can be over 24 inches in any direction, including frame. Also, exhibitors may wish to use Plexiglas as an alternative to real glass for framed works due to weight of the art work. Another alternative to framing with glass would be to use shrink wrap for your exhibit.
9. All work will be judged on originally of subject, quality of handling the materials used, graphic appeal, and overall creativity.
10. The Management of the MVF and superintendents will use diligence to ensure the safety of exhibits after their arrival and placement in the exhibit, but in no case, will any of these parties be responsible for any loss of damage that may occur.
11. If there is only one entry in a class, the judge reserves the right to make an award. An award will be given only if the work is deserving of a prize.
12. None of the accepted exhibits should be removed from the exhibit area until Monday, August 6, from 9:00 AM until 12:00 AM. Exhibits not picked up will be taken to the entry department located in the Tower.
13. Each exhibitor must be an amateur artist or hobbyist who does not own or operate from a commercial studio and who does not make money from selling art works.
14. Please enter ceramic clay art in ceramic division.

**The categories for this division are:**

**A -- ADULT, ages 19 and over**

**B -- TEEN, ages 13-18**

**C -- PRE-TEEN, ages 9-12**

**D -- CHILD, ages 5-8**

**The Classes for this division are as follows:**

**Class #1 -- Oil and acrylics**

**Class #2 -- Water colors, which includes opaque, tempera, wash, colored ink and water crayons.**

**Class #3 -- Collage -- any medium**

**Class #4 -- Black and white, which includes pen and black ink, charcoal, pencil, crayon and wash.**

**Class #5 -- Dry colors, which includes pastel chalk, crayons, colored pencils, or oil pastels.**

**Class #6 -- Mixed medium any combination of two or more media.**

**Class #7 -- Computer generated art, digital art (some work of art, which is original and creative that is produced with the use of a computer). And not of photographic origin.**

<b>PRIZES</b>	<b>ADULT - A</b>	<b>PRE-TEEN - C</b>
<b>1st - 2nd IN EACH CLASS</b>	<b>1st 2nd \$12.00 \$8.00</b>	<b>1st 2nd \$8.00 \$4.00</b>
	<b>TEEN - B</b>	<b>CHILD - D</b>
	<b>1st 2nd \$8.00 \$4.00</b>	<b>1st 2nd \$8.00 \$4.00</b>

**BEST OF SHOW – ROSETTE IN EACH OF THE 4 CATEGORIES.**